

TELEGRAPHIC.

Winnipeg, Sept. 18, '99.
Sir Charles Tupper has arrived in Quebec. Britain will take part in Paris exhibition. A Montreal dry goods store collapsed. The release of Dreyfus is now fixed for Tuesday.

Chas. A. Pillsbury, the Minneapolis flour king, is dead.

Cecil Rhodes, and many African leaders, predict peace.

At Hinton, West Virginia, 3,000 miners are on strike now.

Clarke Wallace instituted a new Orange lodge in Vancouver.

All the London war correspondents have sailed for South Africa.

Young Cornelius Vanderbilt was not disturbed by his father.

The Swiss mountain guides of Banff have returned to Switzerland.

The upper part of Austria is flooded and several lives have been lost.

The fighting ships, the Northumberland and others, have departed for Natal.

Over 8,000 New York carpenters have gone out on strike for higher wages.

An agreement for a lease of Portuguese, East Africa, to Britain will be made.

Queen Victoria has entered into the 80th year of her life.

A Russian scientist has discovered an invisible whereby sight is given to the blind.

The revival of monasteries for British officers is not popular, but it is an official order.

Rev. J. McNeill, of Toronto, has accepted a call to the first Baptist church in Winnipeg.

The most notable break in Montreal stock since the bank troubles, occurred on Saturday.

Carverville, Ill., was the scene of a bloody conflict on Sunday between whites and negroes.

The United States cruiser Charleston has started to bombard the Filipino ports at Subig Bay.

All Transvaal commandants have been asked to furnish the number of burghers available for military service.

Sir Thos. Lipton's expenditure in connection with the big yacht race has already reached \$100,000.

Two United States soldiers have been sentenced to death at Manila for assassinating women.

The Boers intend concentrating 3,000 men on the frontier as soon as their reply has been sent to Britain.

Eastern Canadian wholesalers report inadequate stocks and retail orders materializing rather than usual.

Gen. Stewart White, who will command the British forces in Natal, was wildly cheered when leaving London.

South Australia with a majority of 200,000 in favor of federation, has applied to the Imperial government for the necessary enabling bill.

Statements prepared by the finance department of the Dominion show that the surplus for the year ending June 30th, was over \$5,000,000.

The text of the Transvaal reply has been officially published. The Boers practically declare for war. The situation is most grave and war is inevitable.

Fort Saskatchewan, Sept. 18, '99.

There will be a football match at Fort Saskatchewan on Wednesday, Sept. 20th, at 4 p. m., between Fort Saskatchewan and Edmonton.

A dance will be given in the evening at the Mansion House. The N. W. M. Police orchestra will be in attendance. Tickets \$1.00 to admit lady and gentleman.

LOCAL.

TRAIN one hour late.

Hay \$5 to \$7 a ton, in fair supply.

Hogs are worth 50 a pound. Live weight.

A. DISCOLE, D. L. S. returned from the south on Wednesday.

Rev. M. KULAWY, a Polish priest of the Roman Catholic church, arrived from Galicia on Friday, to act as missionary to the Galician settlers in this district.

Mr. McLEOD of Belmont is erecting a frame dwelling 20x24, story and a half high, on his farm. John Ball, contractor.

Messrs. PULSLEY, Pylypuk and Mylnick Bros. of the Galician settlement at Limstone lake took out on Saturday the steam threshing machine they recently purchased from the Massey-Harris Co.

Miss NELLIE ALANSON is erecting a residence 24x30, story and a half, frame, with veranda, 7 feet in width, on the corner of Victoria avenue and Sixth street, to cost about \$1,200. John Ball, contractor.

The Merchants Bank of Canada have taken over four branches of the Banque Jacques Cartier and one of the Banque Ville Marie. This now gives the Merchants bank 60 branches, ten more than any other Canadian bank.

H. F. DAVIS trader of Peace river was met at the Landing on his way north to Vermilion. Although Mr. Davis has lost his eyesight he is still carrying on his trade in the far north, going into a country and engaging in a business from which many men with good eyesight would shrink.

An election is in progress in town, and canvassing by the contestants is being conducted briskly. Mrs. Berube and Mrs. Keegan are the candidates for the possession of a silver tea set which is to be disposed of at the house in all of the Roman Catholic church building fund to be held on October 19th. This is an occasion on which money talks—or votes. The lady securing the largest number of votes—that is dollars—gets the tea set.

Rev. FATHER HUSON, who arrived from Peace River Crossing on Monday, made the trip down in six days travelling by way of the Landing. Crops were good at Peace River and much further advanced than at Edmonton. There had been no frost up to the time Father Huson left. The Roman Catholic mission will have about 1,500 bushels of grain, of which 1,000 will be wheat. Cutting began over three weeks ago. The mission has corn ten feet in height, beans and peas are also very fine. At Lesser Slave lake the crops were not as well advanced as at Peace river, but were very good. There was not as much rain at Peace River as at Edmonton but still it was a rainy season. It was reported that only eight half breed scraps were issued at Wapiscow lake north of Lesser Slave lake. All the rest of the natives there took treaty.

A SPECIAL train came in yesterday.

CALGARY fair next week. Cheap excursion.

COAL men have raised the price of coal to \$2.50 per ton.

COLLY FRASER, trader, has returned north to Chipewyan.

A LARGE camping party went out to Cooking lake to-day.

Rev. FATHER LUGOFF returned to St. Paul mission last week.

E. A. JAMIESON has returned from a visit to relatives at Lacombe.

CHILDREN'S day service on Sunday next in the Presbyterian church.

T. W. LINES, of Brackman & Ker, is at the coast on a business trip.

A PURSUIT for Sunday shooting is on in Strathcona this afternoon.

THE Presbyterian congregation of Strathcona are preparing to call a pastor.

EIGHTY half breed scraps were issued at Wapiscow lake, not 8 as elsewhere reported.

EGGS 20c, butter 12c to 20c. Eggs very scarce, and butter in less supply than before.

Rev. Mr. CAMPBELL, of Strathcona, preached in the Presbyterian church here yesterday.

Rev. FATHER MORIN arrived last week from Montreal accompanied by a party of clonists.

H. CHRISTMAN, of Regina, came in on Friday to take a situation in Ross Bros. store here.

MANY chicken shooting parties were out on Friday and Saturday last. Most of them report good success.

W. GORDON, trader has returned from the Landing, to look after his freight which has been delayed.

THE Loveland gold dredge at Big Island is being overhauled and new gold saving apparatus introduced.

FREIGHTERS are scarce on the Landing trail owing to bad roads and harvesting. There is great delay in getting goods north.

Rev. D. G. McQUEEN left on Saturday last for the coast to be absent three weeks attending the synod home mission committee.

A NEW 10,000 pound boiler has been purchased by the Electric Light Co. It was shipped across the river on Saturday by S. E. McCauley.

A YOUNG woman named Morin, residing near Poplar lake, was reported lost on Friday night last. She was found on Saturday morning and returned to her home.

THE river is lower than it has been since the famous flood, and is still falling. Watermen were able to-day to drive on the bar south of the electric light station.

J. W. BENOUGH, the famous cartoonist, will appear here in the Bohemian on the 14th December, under the auspices of the ladies' aid of the Presbyterian church.

Mr. CLAASON, late of Vancouver, opened his new fruit store on Jasper avenue on Saturday night. He was occupying his new building just 17 days after reaching town.

H. BOWEN and J. E. FELL of the Massey-Harris empire shot ten chickens on Saturday. They report chickens plentiful this season.

THE Advertiser Publishing Co. applies for incorporation. The applicant is James Douglas Skinner, Thos. Irvine and Hedley Clarence Taylor.

ANNIVERSARY services in connection with the Methodist church in Strathcona were held yesterday. Rev. T. C. Buchanan of Edmonton preached both morning and evening.

A. E. HOGUE, of the Otter gold dredge is in town. The company have brought their experiments to a satisfactory conclusion, and feel confident that they can now save the gold.

THE Apollo Golf club have received an offer from the managers of the Calgary fair, to be held on the 27th and 28th, to visit and give a concert in the opera house there. The club have accepted and final arrangements are being made.

Rev. Mr. BUCHANAN, Methodist missionary at Edna, preached in the Methodist church, Edmonton, yesterday morning and Rev. Mr. Adamson, Strathcona in the evening. The pastor, Rev. T. C. Buchanan was absent conducting the anniversary services in Strathcona.

THE Bellamy Co. has sold a 20-horse threshing outfit to The Guinness Co. on Stony plain. The separator cylinder is 40 x 62 and the machine has an automatic stacker. It is a traction machine and is being taken out today. The same firm have also sold a new separator to D. Brox of Stony Plain.

THE Massey-Harris Co. have sold a 17-horse steam threshing outfit to Ross & McLeod of Belmont, water of the same to a Galician company; a 20-horse traction engine, only, to Finlay Macdonald of St. Albert; and a 10-horse threshing to Flynn Bros. of St. Albert.

Two boys were summoned to appear today in answer to a charge of shooting turkeys, the property of A. Thompson, residing about six miles north of town. The boys were out shooting on Saturday and visited Thompson's farm. Every one being away they shot and carried off some sixteen or twenty young turkeys. The case was settled by the parents of the boys paying for the turkeys.

Free Press: "Rev. W. N. Schwarz, of the Alberta Mission, returned from a trip to Pennsylvania and North Carolina. He is accompanied by Mrs. Schwarz, who comes from Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, to find a home at Brudenheim, a few miles from Fort Saskatchewan, where a paragonahar recently been erected. They will continue their journey via Calgary and Edmonton to-morrow. They are staying at the Leland hotel."

Mrs. and Mrs. Sibbald of the Indian agency at Saddle lake, accompanied by their two sons, came in from the lake by trail yesterday. The crops on the reserve at Saddle lake were not damaged by frost and would have matured well had it not been for the gophers. Great damage was done by them. At White Fish lake the crop will be better. The wet weather has been general around the lake and has interfered greatly with haying. At White Fish lake, 1,400 tons of hay are put up yearly but so far this season only 400 tons have been cured. Mr. and Mrs. Sibbald return to the lake in a few days, while their sons will resume their studies here.

FROM DAWSON.

C. Mercier, a former resident of Edmonton, returned from Dawson City last week. Mr. Mercier left Edmonton three years ago and went to Dawson by way of the coast to join his brother who had been a resident of the Yukon since 1887. The trip in from the coast took three months and some days. He left Dawson on July 4th last and the trip occupied 11 days and 8 hours. But that time has been improved on since. He just reached lake Bennett as the White Pass railway was completed. Mr. Mercier has an interest with his brother, N. Mercier, in claim 9 on Eldorado. Mr. N. Mercier cleared \$100,000 out of this claim last year. Mr. C. Mercier has a claim of quartz and gold found in the claim, which is certainly rich. The gold appears in large solid irregular veins through the quartz. The value of the piece is about \$200. Mr. Mercier says that the return from the Klondike mines this year is quite up to expectations and equal to the best favorable reports. He will return shortly. Mr. H. Bouliard, who left Edmonton in the fall of 1897 for the Yukon, with F. de Journal and two others has three claims on the bench land of Hunker Creek. The company were recently offered \$100,000 for their property. L. Canture is keeping a road house on Bonanza creek and is doing well.

WEATHER AND CROPS.

Rain on Tuesday and Thursday night last were the only breaks in the fine weather which set in on Wednesday, the 6th inst. To-day is magnificent. Two-thirds of the grain is cut but binders are still going out from the dealers' warehouses. The condition of the crop is yet a matter of some doubt. It is certainly heavy and a large proportion of it is certainly all right, but there will be some loss from too early cutting, from wet and from too late ripening. So far there has been little or no damage by frost. Some damage is reported north of the Sturgeon mill, but throughout the district as a whole there has been practically none. Only a fraction of the wheat remains uncut. oats form the principal part of the uncut grain. So far they have suffered no damage and are not likely to.

A SUCCESSFUL AFFAIR.

A tea and concert in aid of the church of England Sunday school building fund was held on the grounds of the residence of R. G. Hardisty on Thursday afternoon and evening last. Tables were spread beneath the trees, and booths for the sale of refreshments, flowers, books etc., were erected. In the evening the grounds were lighted with Chinese lanterns hung from the trees, making a very pretty scene. The attendance was large. An excellent supper, prepared by the ladies of the church, was served on three long tables on the lawn and presided over by Messdames Hardisty, Greenwood, Rowell and Jellett, assisted by a number of the young ladies of the church. The tables were tastefully decorated with flowers, adding to the pretty effect of the lighted grounds. The numerous tables and stalls placed around the lawn did a thriving business and contributed materially to the financial success of the affair. The candy table was in charge of Mrs. W. Richardson, assisted by Miss Gladys Birchour and Miss Dolly Greenwood. Miss Young presided over the flower stall and was assisted by Miss May Matheson and a number of other small but energetic workers. The book stall, in charge of Mrs. D. W. Macdonald, was a pronounced revenue earner, also the ice cream booth presided over by Mrs. Purches and Mrs. Graydon.

The musical part of the programme was in charge of Mrs. Bouchier and Mrs. J. W. Morris and that they did their duty well, was proven by the excellence of the numbers rendered. The following ladies and gentlemen assisted: Mrs. Morris, Mrs. Jellett, Misses McKay, Young, Fielders, Cowie and Bouchier; Rev. H. A. Grey, Messrs. F. Fortin, Geo. Tate, Geo. Fraser, and Dr. Roy.

At the conclusion of the supper, and when the evening was drawing to a close, Mr. Hardisty extended an invitation to all who wished to stay for an impromptu hop. The invitation was taken advantage of by a large number and several hours were passed pleasantly away to the music of an impromptu orchestra.

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The regulations under which a license will be granted may be obtained at this Department or at the office of the Crown Timber Agent at Edmonton.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank in favour of the Deputy of the Minister of the Interior, for the amount of the bonus which the applicant is prepared to pay for a license.

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THE EDMONTON BRIDGE

The Winnipeg Telegram is editorially exercised over the Edmonton bridge, and rings the changes on all the stale arguments and disproved assertions brought up by the opposition in the house of commons to cover the discreditable course of their party in regard to the same bridge while they were in power. The occasion is the increase in the height of the piers, decided upon by the government on account of the recent high water. Among the many practical questions in connection with this bridge that the Telegram steers clear of, are: Whether or not the height of the piers should be increased; and whether or not the government is using due diligence in increasing their height? If there was a mistake in making the piers too low in the first place the Telegram might remember that the mistake was in the present government accepting the report and work of the engineer of the late government as good authority. As it is, the piers are two feet higher than the plans of the late government called for. As to the material of which the piers are constructed: The test to which they were subjected during the recent high water is sufficient evidence as to its strength and suitability. Concrete is now the almost universally accepted material for bridge piers. What has the Telegram to say on that point? But the specifications were changed from stone to concrete—for the benefit of the contractor, says the Telegram and its friends. For, look you, stone from Stony Mountain must cost more than concrete; and yet the contractor got the same price for one as the other. But the tenders were not made on the basis of bringing stone from Stony Mountain, but on the basis of getting local stone at a stated low price. All tenders were put in on the supposition that local stone could be procured. When the local stone was found to be unsuitable, in order to avoid delay the contract for concrete was let to the lowest tenderer on stone. The proper comparison between the prices of stone and concrete was not as between imported stone and imported concrete, but between local stone and imported concrete. The difference of 1,000 miles of railroad haul on the cost of sufficient stone to build three bridge piers and two abutments is the trifle which the Telegram and its friends add into the calculation when making comparisons as to the respective cost of concrete and masonry, with a view of proving the much greater cost of the latter.

THE RAINY RIVER RAILWAY.

The Winnipeg Tribune is doing good work in drawing the attention of the West to the railway question in general and the Ontario & Rainy river railway question in particular.

The existing railway between Winnipeg and Fort William was built and paid for by the people of Canada for the purpose of developing Western Canada and enabling Eastern Canada to profit by that development.

The present owners, who did not pay a cent for this piece of road, charge such rates over it as to retard the progress of the west, and prevent the east from duly profiting by the western development that is taking place.

The action of the present owners apparently cannot be controlled except by building a competing line.

The governments of Manitoba, Ontario and the Dominion have bonused a parallel line to the extent of \$10,400 in cash a mile.

This bonus has been granted to a firm who owe their present position as railway owners and builders to their connection with the C. P. R.

The C. P. R. has not opposed, and is not opposing, the charter or bonuses for this road.

Therefore it is fair to suppose that this is one of the cases in which competition will not compete.

Therefore it is a case in which, if

the people are to benefit by the construction of this second line of railway between the Red River and Lake Superior, it must be by government regulation proportioned to the aid granted by the government to the construction of the road.

No provision is made whereby adequate government regulation—and thereby compensating benefits for the money being paid—is assured.

A proposition to fix a maximum rate of half the present rate, and to make adequate provision for further regulating the rates was voted down by an overwhelming majority on both sides of parliament, including all the leaders of the opposition.

Clearly the occasion is one for a campaign of education, in which the Tribune has embarked with much fervor and equal talent, and in which it is needless to say it is not seconded by the Free Press, alleged liberal, or by the Telegram, conservative.

THE Herald, McGregor, Man, makes the following tasty reference to the Ontario harvest excursionists who recently arrived in Manitoba:

"Ten thousand of Frank Oliver's salt of the earth came from Ontario within the past ten days. They are a scaly lot, with only a sprinkling of the horny handed agricultural laborer amongst them. The Doukhobors are infinitely better and cleaner looking."

On the supposition that the editor of the Herald is a Canadian, the BULLETIN begs hereafter to qualify its comparisons between Doukhobors or Galicians and Canadians. A Doukhobor, a Galician, a Chinaman or an Indian, at least has sufficient self-respect to prefer his own people to any other. In this particular the editor of the Herald certainly falls below the standard of either of these peoples, as well as below that of the harvest hands whom he so despises.

NEW GOLD DREDGE.

Steam was started on the dredge of the Alberta Dredge Mining Co., at the old crossing on the south side of the river on Saturday of last week, and has been kept going more or less ever since to test the machinery. So far everything has worked satisfactorily and the company expect to have a month of good work this fall, before lying up for the winter.

Work on the construction of the dredge was commenced on the 10th of May and it was completed on August 10th, but the high water then existing and continuing since prevented active operations being commenced until last week.

The principle of this dredge is entirely different from any now on the river. It raises the gravel by suction instead of by a scoop, or by bucket and chain. The advantage claimed for it is that it works more quickly and steadily, and will work around boulders more closely and without injury to the machinery than either the scoop or bucket dredges.

The scow is 30x80 feet and draws two feet two inches of water when ready to work. The engines are 100 horsepower, and the pump has a capacity of 100 cubic yards of gravel an hour. The suction pump works at one end of the scow. The gravel is raised through it to the gold saving apparatus, which is directly over the engine and the waste water and gravel are discharged by three long sluices over the rear end of the scow and about 30 feet distant. The gold saving apparatus is quite simple and is on the same general principle as that of the miner's grizzly. The pump discharges water and gravel onto the upper end of two sloping boxes three feet wide by ten feet long. These boxes are agitated by the machinery and discharge the gravel and stones which are too large to pass through the holes in the metal into the headings sluice which discharges, by the force of part of the water raised, 30 feet beyond the rear of the scow as already mentioned. These boxes or troughs answer the same purpose as the conical grating of iron bars on the hand mining machine. Under each perforated trough is a "V" shaped vat, of the same length, into which the small gravel, sand and most of the water falls. These vats discharge into sluice boxes, four on each side. The sluice boxes are two feet wide by 14 feet long, and are sloped so that the tailings fall into two tailings sluices which run along each side of the scow and connect with the headings sluice in the general discharge over the rear. These sluices have cocoa matting in the bottom to catch the gold and black sand, just as the blanket is in the miner's sluice box. The matting is overlaid with a coarse wire netting which tends to retard the gold as it is flowing down the sluice, and lodge it in the matting. The effect being much the same as the riffle in the ordinary sluice box, but much more complete. Water can be shut off one or more sluice boxes at a time to allow of the matting being removed and washed in a tank in which the gold and black sand are retained for final treatment,

without the machine being stopped, the remaining sluices being still in operation. This allows for a continuous run day and night if desired. Five men will compose the operating crew.

This dredge is of similar principle to two now in operation on Snake river, Idaho, where within the past year or two they have been a pronounced success, although the gold is even more flakey than that of the Saskatchewan. There are seven or eight other dredges of different pattern also working on Snake river.

The Alberta Dredge Mining Co. is a Chicago enterprise. Four of the directors now on the ground are: Messrs. S. T. Phillips, president; J. H. Wheeler, treasurer; E. H. Lewis, mechanical superintendent, and S. W. Hoover. In addition to the dredge itself there will be needed coal lighters and a small steamer to act as tender. The dredge will cost about \$20,000. If it turns out to be as good at saving the gold as it appears likely to be and as it certainly is in raising the gravel, the company will put on other similar dredges, and other companies are also known to be ready to invest.

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NOTICE.

TO HOLDERS OF PROVISIONAL CERTIFICATES
FOR OPERATION OF STEAM ENGINES
AND BOILERS.

Notice is hereby given that an examination will
be held by the Inspector of Steam Boilers at the
Towm Hall, Edmonton, on the 25th day of September,
1899, for the purpose of giving holders of
Provisional Certificates under the provisions of
The Steam Boilers Ordinance an opportunity of
qualifying as First, Second or Third Class Engineers.
Applications for examination at the above place
on the date mentioned should be addressed to Mr.
Dan. Evans, Inspector of Steam Boilers, Edmonton.

J. S. DENNIS,
Deputy Commissioner.Department of Public Works,
Regina, 7th Sept., 1899.

SHERIFF'S SALE

North-West Territories,
To Wit:

By virtue of a Writ of Execution issued out of
the Supreme Court of the North-West Territories,
Northern Alberta Judicial District, at the suit of
Jackson & Grieson, Delbert C. Anderson and
others, Plaintiffs, and The Alaska Mining & Trading
Company, Defendants, and to me directed under
the Goods and Chattels of The Alaska Mining & Trading
Company, I have seized and taken into
Execution the following Goods and Chattels,
to-wit:

- (1) One stern wheel steamer 67.500 over all, 14
feet beam, fitted up with latest improved machinery,
now lying at Athabasca Landing.
- (2) One Steam Tug Screw Propeller, 28 feet over
all, 10 feet beam, now lying at Fort McMurray.
- (3) One Screw Propeller, full sized cabin, 61 feet
over all, 14 foot beam, fitted up with modern engine
and boiler, now lying at Fort Smith. Together with
a supply of rope and tackle with each
steamer.
- (4) One portable forge with blacksmith's com-
plete outfit at Fort Smith.

Which I shall expose for sale on Saturday, the
fourteenth day of October, 1899, at the Sheriff's
Office, Edmonton, at the hour of two p. m.

W. S. HOBBS, Sheriff.

heriff's Office, Sept. 6, 1899.

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Miss Armstrong and Miss Kelly will
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HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Jasper—Jas. Gullon, S. Fraser, R. P. McDonald, Emil Jachman, town; D. Saiter, Fort Saskatchewan; W. E. H. Stokes, Little Devil's lake; J. E. Fell, Toronto; J. P. Trotter, N. W. M. P., Great Slave lake.

Alberta—A. Driscoll, town; J. Zane, Leduc; E. W. Turner, Fort Thayer, Town; Geo. W. Gill, Picher Creek; C. McMillan, C. P. R. Strathcona; J. H. Grierson, E. A. Bagley, Calgary; S. A. Beasley, Little Devil's lake; E. Marriaggi, N. White, Fort Saskatchewan; G. V. White, Winnipeg.

Queen's—A. K. Brown, Manchester, New Hampshire; A. McAdam, Edmonton; W. W. Ryan, Wetaskiwin; George Ames, Jas. Simpson, Moffat, Ont.; Frank Adams, Reservoir, Ont.; W. C. Pollard, H. J. Duchesneau, F. Beaver, Fort Saskatchewan; G. Dea, Beaver Hills; A. Morrison, H. F. Mickelson, St. Albert; E. J. Stacey, New Lannon; J. R. Boyle, Strathcona; D. Pirest, Edmonton.

WINTERED AT PEEL RIVER.

From James Wilson, of Deadwood, South Dakota, who spent last winter at Fort Macpherson, the BULLETIN has secured a list of the names of those who wintered there and on Rat river, pushing across the divide to the Yukon. This list will give an idea of the number who made the trip successfully as compared with those who were unsuccessful.

At McPherson: Levi Brierly and Harry Atwell, Hamilton; Chas. Nagle, Sherbrooke; Thos. Callaghan, Eric Olson, Fred Nugent, Emerson; Robt. Atkins, London, Eng.; Chas. Hall, Duluth; E. C. Kendrick, Toronto; F. Norman, Dr. Lars, Minneapolis; Sam Brown, wife and infant, Detroit; H. M. Fish, James Wilson, Deadwood, South Dakota; Dr. Lang, E. C. Luke, Ellerton, Robertson, Scotland; Prof. Stone, of American Historical society; John McLeod.

Of the above all but three crossed the divide. They were Jas. Wilson and E. C. Luke, returned to Edmonton, and Dr. Lars, who went to Herschell island and took passage out on a whaler. Those who crossed hired the transport of their supplies by Indians. This cost 4c, 6c, or 8c a pound from McPherson to La Pierre's house on Bell river, as the demand outran or fell below the supply. None of the men who wintered at McPherson died and only Mr. Wilson had a serious attack of scurvy.

Twenty-eight men wintered up the little river which puts into the Peel at McPherson, on the way to the pass. These men portaged their own supplies over. Mr. Wilson did not secure their names, but they included the Springfield, Ill., party, the Enterprise party and the Toronto party. None of these died, none were seriously ill and all went across.

A large party wintered at Destruction city at the foot of the rapids of the Rat river. This was the head of navigation for the large scows which had been used down the Athabasca and Mackenzie. At this point they had to be destroyed (cut down or made over) so that they could be taken up the rapids of Rat river. Of course anything that could be spared was also left there to lighten the loads for the hard up stream trip of 35 miles to the summit. Those who had a very large quantity of supplies and did not care to sacrifice them either by leaving them behind or paying them out for transport, wintered there and spent the winter in hauling the stuff across the divide on sleighs. Those who were more lightly loaded or who had an earlier start went over in the season of 1898. Amongst these were Buffalo Jones, Chicago, and G. M. Dyer, Edmonton. The names of those wintering at Destruction city are:

Mr. Craig and wife, Harry Card, Chicago; Owen Osborne, Edmonton; Harry Thomas, England; Archie Munro, — Boke, James Stringer, N. Gilman, Josiah Reid, Carson Bros. (2), Jos. Beck; "Old" Carlson, "Old" Charley, Lloyd; Ernest Crabbe, Edmonton; Manning Bros. (2), Capt. Anderson, Robinson, Jim Rose, Pat Brown, F. Middleton, H. C. Patterson, G. W. Brown, Kelson Bros. (2), Andrew Jensen, Dr. Helimick, McCannell, L.L. Bonnyer, Thos. Berry, Frank Dougall, Krause, Frank Clier, Jas. Reef, Cooper.

Further up Rat river another large camp was established which was known as Shacktown. The citizens of Shacktown were:

R. C. Harris, C. Todd, Wm. Benl, Rbt. McKay, P. C. Gallagher, Chas. Winter, J. J. McGree, H. L. Short, C. J. Miller, J. G. Moore, J. B. Smith, A. T. Morton, R. T. Tonn, J. Kerr, W. Mattie, Buffalo; J. Lenk, Chicago; H. J. Walker, N. Timm, F. Matthews, R. Vincent, E. Donner, F. N. Rice, J. Hearn; W. W. Thayer, Chicago; Chas. Olson, Wyoming; Mrs. A. Hoffman, Sandon; Joe Cummings, Capt. Jas. W. Parker, U. S. A.; Frank Brock, A. T. Duncan, Hamilton; Jos. Irvine; G. R. Corbessier, Detroit; Capt. Geo. Dunn, Dr. E. E. Mitter, W. Brownlow, T. A. Horton, Owen Sound; Locky Macdonald, Alex. Lyons, Alf. R. Clegg, H. C. Behn, W. Bouten, D. Westey, C. Fisher; P. Slaven, Dakota; F. Luebeck, Eli Verro, G. Stoner, Dr. Edwards, T. M. Davidson; James McSweeney, Edmonton; Burton Mills; J. H. N. Hibbler, L. A. Wentfield, O. Apeld, Thos. De Barr, Phil Gluck, Chas. Grenier, Geo. Blom, G. Kreeble, Adam Schmidt, Geo. Ainsworth, Paul Lawson; Ed. Turner, W. Turner, Virginia; Geo. Baldwin; John Wilson; Chas. Fowler, Jackson, Edmonton; Gus Brecher, Stevens, Macdonald;

James Walrick, Lethbridge; John Shirley, Andrew Robertson, Fred Grant.

Three deaths took place at Shacktown: Geo. W. Thomas, of Chicago, who died on Nov. 4th, '98. G. W. Sprenger, of Los Angeles, Cal., who died late in the winter, and Fred Houser. Two others whose names Mr. Wilson did not learn are said to have died either at Destruction city or Shacktown. One was of French nationality from Woonsocket, Rhode island. All deaths took place from scurvy.

AGRICULTURAL MEETINGS.

A series of meetings in the interests of agriculture have been arranged by the Northwest government to be held in Northern Alberta this fall. The meetings will be addressed by Mr. Bulyea, commissioner of agriculture in the Northwest government; Angus McKay, superintendent of the experimental farm at Indian Head; T. N. Willing, territorial inspector of noxious weeds, and C. Marker, superintendent of Dominion government creameries in Alberta. Mr. Bulyea will speak on the "Work and objects of agricultural societies." Mr. McKay on "The Past year's experimental farm lessons in grain, grass, and root cultivation." Mr. Willing on the "Noxious weed question," and Mr. Marker on "Dairying."

In a circular addressed by the deputy commissioner of public works to Isaac Cowie, secretary of the board of trade, the dates of meetings are fixed as follows:

Red Deer, Friday, 28th Sept., 2 o'clock, at school house.

Lacombe, Saturday, 30th Sept., 2 o'clock, at agricultural hall.

Wetaskiwin, Monday, 2nd Oct., 2 o'clock, at school hall.

Edmonton, Tuesday, 3rd October, 2 o'clock, at Robertson Hall.

Fort Saskatchewan, Tuesday, 2nd Oct., 7:30 o'clock.

St. Albert, Wednesday, 4th Oct., 1 o'clock, at school house.

Strathcona, Wednesday, 4th Oct., 7:30 o'clock, at Ross' Hall.

Innisfail, Thursday, 5th Oct., 4 o'clock, at Curry Hall.

Olds, Friday, 6th Oct., 2 o'clock.

The territorial department of agriculture will bear the expense of these meetings, and it is hoped to make them an annual affair along the C. & E. line.

COUNCIL MEETING.

At the special meeting of the town council held on Thursday evening, the tax rate for the year was struck at 15.515 mills on the dollar on Protestant school ratepayers and 17.614 mills on Catholic school ratepayers as against 17 mills and 19.25 mills respectively last year. The rates are made up as follows:

	Mills.
General tax rate,	6.5-10
Debtors rate,	3.3-15
Protestant school rate,	5.6-10
Catholic school rate,	7.7-10

The amount to be raised for Protestant school purposes is \$5,000, and for Catholic school purposes \$1,500.

Property levied on for Protestant schools \$977,533, and for Catholic schools \$210,715.

The financial statement submitted by the chairman of the finance committee, K. W. MacKenzie is as follows:

LIABILITIES AND ASSETS OF THE TOWN.

(a) LIABILITIES.	
To Imperial Bank,	\$21034 00
" Sinking Fund account for amounts in roll of 1898,	3137 87
" Interest on this sum to date to payment into Bank at 6 per cent,	60 00
" Further amount required for salaries, etc., to end of year 1899, say	1762 13
Total,	\$25093 90

(b) ASSETS.	
By Taxes for 1898,	\$744 59
" " 1897,	329 91
" " 1896,	1317 00
" " 1895,	5000 00
Total,	\$7390 50

Or allow for bad collections, etc.,

By debtors by-law No. 166,

" " 165,

By amount standing to permanent improvement account

Under ledger title "Improvements,"

By interest on same to date,

By permanent improvements, 1899, as follows:

Rose grade, as follows:

McDougal St and road to ferry,

River frontage (two items)

Nuisance ground,

By local improvements, '98 and '99:

By sidewalk on Queen Street,

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THE ARCHBISHOP OF MONTREAL.

Monsieur Bruchesi, Archbishop of Montreal, arrived on Friday's train on a short visit to their Lordships Bishops Grandin and Legal, of St. Albert, and to Edmonton in general. His Grace is on his way across the continent on a trip of recreation. Rev. Father Vaillant, canon of St. James Cathedral, Montreal, accompanies him. Rev. Father Lacombe, who had gone down to Calgary, also accompanied him to Edmonton. His Grace was entertained on Friday night at the presbytery in town, and on Saturday morning visited the hospital, drove through town and out to St. Albert. On Sunday at 10:30 pontifical high mass was celebrated by His Grace in the Cathedral at St. Albert. This evening at 7 o'clock he will be presented with addresses in English and French at St. Joachim's church. After replying to the addresses the ceremony of the benediction of the blessed sacrament will be performed. At the conclusion of the formal reception and ceremonies an informal reception will be held in the presbytery at which His Grace will be pleased to meet friends of all denominations. As the Archbishop of the diocese which has for its centre the commercial centre of the Dominion, His Grace occupies a specially prominent position, and his first visit to Edmonton is an indication of the spreading fame and growing importance of this part of Canada. While he was in Winnipeg an open meeting of the Catholic order of Foresters was held, at which addresses were delivered by Archbishop Langevin, Mayor Andrews, and by Archbishop Bruchesi. All three addresses were inter-complimentary and expressive of appreciation and kindly feeling.

METEOROLOGICAL.

The following temperatures are reported from the Dominion government observatory Edmonton, for the dates given:

	Max.	Min.
Thursday, 14,	73	39
Friday, 15,	61	38
Saturday, 16,	61	39
Sunday, 17,	61	41
Monday, 18,	42	42

Barometer reduced to sea level 30.166.

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AGAINST THE CHINESE.

At the labor day celebration at Nanaimo, W. W. B. McInnes, member for Vancouver district, announced that he would resign his seat. He gave as a reason that Sir Wilfrid Laurier had made election promises, and later in speeches on the floor of the house, and yet nothing had been done in regard to the restriction of the importation of Chinese. In consequence he would resign, and a new election would be held on this issue and this alone. They all knew he said what the result would be, and the matter would be brought up in the house next session. If action was then refused, they could not take the matter in their own hands and do as the people had done on Puget Sound. Ex-attorney general Martin spoke from the same platform on similar lines, and his remarks were received with vociferous approval.

RAILWAY RATES IN THE EAST.

That the West has no monopoly in unfairness of freight rates was recently made evident at meeting of the Canadian Millers association. A letter was read from Arch. Campbell, M. P., in reference to freight rates discriminating against the Canadian millers on export business. Mr. Campbell urged that pressure be brought to bear upon the general freight agents association. Mr. Campbell quoted some of the rates charged on flour to Montreal for export as follows: From East St. Louis 38c.; per hundred, from Chicago 30c.; from Detroit 23c.; from Toronto junction 29c.; from Guelph 31c. Mr. Goldie suggested that a memorial should be prepared and sent to the various boards of trade in Canada asking for their assistance in obtaining justice for millers in this matter.

THE RAILROAD QUESTION FROM AN EASTERN POINT OF VIEW.

E. B. Eddy, the great match maker, after a tour through Western Canada, told the Ottawa Free Press:

"Our eastern manufacturers do not appreciate the Northwest as they should. Of course, it largely depends upon cheap freight, and at present freight rates are not so low as to prevent British Columbia from purchasing from California. From this point freight is cheaper, and despite the duty goods can be brought from there cheaper than from eastern Canada. Trade in the far west will be taken by the United States unless the railways come to the rescue. Every manufacturer should husband his trade in the west, as it is a field to be relied upon. That country is not for manufacturers, but for the raw product, and by proper encouragement these business men can enlarge their trade here in the same proportion as the growth of the western country. The larger amount of freights sent out the less the charges will become. Eastern people do not appreciate the opening up and settling of the Northwest. It is in our interest to see trade enlarge there, as it helps the east, where the supplies must come from." Mr. Eddy went to see the prospects for trade in the future, and has discovered that the high freights will be the only drawback. "Stop the influx of goods from the United States," he said: "It is to the interest of the whole Dominion—to every man—to see that trade should be fostered. It calls me to see goods coming into Canada from foreign countries."

A NORTHERN MURDERER.

Corp. Trotter, N. W. M. P., of the detachment at Great Slave lake, who brought in the Indian Paul Sauborne accused of the murder of his sister-in-law near Fort Resolution, was in town on Saturday. The crime of which the Indian is accused was committed about the 15th of May and word was at once sent to the police detachment. After an exciting quest made dangerous as well as difficult by the condition of the ice in the lake and rivers, then just breaking up, Corp. Trotter succeeded in locating and arresting the Indian who has just now been brought out to receive his preliminary hearing. The crime was committed through Indian superstition. The sister-in-law had received some education at one of the missions and the Indian was a medicine man in his tribe. When his sister-in-law returned to live among her people he saw in her an evil spirit that menaced the welfare of his band. He thereupon, so it is stated, went to her tepee and shot her, returning and telling his people that the evil spirit had gone away.

Corp. Trotter has been for three years in the north and was at Great Slave lake during the Klondike rush of '98, when he did good work as the sole guardian of law and order in an immense tract of unsettled country.

COPPER.

In view of the established discoveries of large bodies of high grade copper ore at Great Slave lake and the fact that several companies are actively engaged in prospecting and developing them the following information as to the value of the copper, gathered from a recent issue of the Kamloops Sentinel will be of value:

The United States produces 20,000 tons of copper a month and Europe 16,000 tons. Copper is now worth 18½c. to 19c. a pound. Five years ago it was 10 cents a pound. Then it cost 8 cents to produce copper and deliver it in New York, now it only costs 6 cents. The demand has increased 50 per cent, while the production which formerly increased at the rate of 10 per cent per year is now increasing at about the rate of 4 per cent. The expansion of electrical appliances is the cause of the greatly increased demand for copper.

STRATHEONA ITEMS.

Plainsdealer.

Rev. W.N. Schwarg and bride have returned from Pennsylvania.

The South Edmonton agricultural society is arranging for a show of grain and vegetables early in October, with a view of securing samples for the Paris exhibition.

Bengough will lecture in Strathcona on October 30th.

Meeting in aid of Strathcona hospital on Tuesday evening, Sept. 26th.

A rifle ball recently passed close to M. A. Worth and his son Thomas and crashed into a box car.

Prof. Parker was refused a license to do business in Strathcona.

The telephone company have put a nickel in the slot machine in R. A. Hulbert's grocery for the benefit of non subscribers.

H. F. Sandeman has been appointed issuer of marriage licenses.

The foundation of the new Walter block, to be occupied by J.M. Douglas, is completed.

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CRICKET.

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The cricket season is practically over. Before it gives place to other sport and pastime, a few lines of retrospect will be in order. The season has been conspicuous for the successes of the eleven in the Calgary tournament.

In Saturday matches also there has been a marked improvement, players and spectators alike turning out better than last year. Another encouraging sign has been the return of the older cricketers here, and the Old-Timers' match attracted considerable attention. The scheduled games were for the most part as well contested as they were enjoyable, but the regular match with Fort Saskatchewan could not be arranged this year.

The membership roll has increased this season from 53 to 77. If the club can obtain a level piece of ground on the new race track they hope to hold a representative tournament here next year.

We give below the match card and averages for the season:

MATCHES.			
DATE.	OPPOSENTS.	WON BY	AMOUNT.
May 24th.	President vs. Vice-President.	President.	8 runs.
June 10th.	A-M vs. N-Z.	N-Z.	56 runs.
June 17th.	Strathcona.	Edmonton.	92 runs.
June 24th.	XI vs. next 15.	XI	49 runs.
July 8th.	Married vs. Single.	Single (draw-rain).	30 for 5 wickets.
*July 12th.	Calgary.	Edmonton.	4 wickets.
*July 13th.	Pine Lake.	Pine Lake.	wings and 6 runs.
*July 14th.	Millarville.	Edmonton.	7 wickets.
*July 15th.	North vs. South.	North.	1 4 runs.
July 19th.	"Old-Timers" vs. "The Rest."	"The Rest."	32 runs.
July 29th.	Married vs. Single.	Single.	4 runs.
Aug. 5th.	Mr. Emery's XI vs. Mr. Edmiston's.	Edmiston's XI.	4 wickets.
Aug. 19th.	Strathcona.	(postponed owing to high water.)	
Aug. 26th.	Under 30 vs. Over 30.		
Sept. 2-4.	Edmonton Cricket Tournament.	(postponed owing to rain.)	
Sept. 9th.	"Old-Timers"		
Sept. 16th.	Married vs. Singles.		
Sept. 23rd.	Broomstick Match.		
Sept. 30th.	President vs. Vice-President.		

* Calgary Cricket Tournament.

BATTING AVERAGES.

	NO. INNINGS.	RUNS.	HIGH-EST SCORE.	TIMES NOT OUT.	AVERAGE.
A. E. Pattison.	7	100	39	2	20
L. A. Watts.	10	128	40	2	16
S. A. Bentley.	8	84	25	1	12
G. C. D'Saun.	4	32	12	1	10.6
B. C. D'Saun.	8	83	15	1	9
W. B. Stokes.	10	72	27	1	8
H. F. Sandiman.	9	65	46	0	7.2
W. Richardson.	9	42	16	0	4.6
H. Aldridge.	7	31	23	1	5.1
E. F. Slocock.	7	35	11	0	5
E. Kimber.	8	35	21	0	5.3
* E. Slocock.	7	113	36	2	22.3
* C. A. Lowe.	4	18	8	0	4
* Sergt. Aston.	5	38	14	0	7.3

* Did not play in Calgary.

BOWLING AVERAGES.

	OVERS.	RUNS.	WICKETS.	AVERAGE.
H. Aldridge.	84	128	25	5.3
W. Richardson.	73	154	23	6.13
S. A. Bentley.	43	51	17	3

N. B.—Sergt. Aston, G. Rustie, E. C. Emery and others have bowled with success but they do not show in the table, not having played in Calgary.

CLUB OFFICERS FOR 1899.

PATRONS: Rev. H. A. Gray, F. Oliver, M. P.

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L. A. Watts.

CAPTAIN: W. RICHARDSON.

SECRETARY: E. Slocock.

DIED ON THE LIARD.

CONFIRMATION of the reported death of Martin McNeely of Sault Ste Marie, at Devil's portage in the winter of 1898 on the Liard river has been secured by the H. B. Co. from Capt. E. L. Cole, of Pelican Rapids, Minnesota. In an affidavit dated Des Moines, B. C. June 30th, '99, Capt. Cole describes the finding of the body in a small wedge tent near the bank of the Liard. Upon searching for means of identification a diary was found upon which was written, "Property of M. J. McNeely, Sault Ste Marie, Ont." also data of the trip. Enquiry at the H. B. posts, showed that McNeely's partner, W. J. Graham, had passed up the river in the winter of 1897-8. The last date in the diary was January 6th, 1898. Octave La Chappelle, of St. Albert, Alberta, was with Capt. Cole when the body was found. The ground was then frozen to hard too permit of burial, but they covered the body with logs. The affidavit of Capt. Cole, and the diary of the deceased have been forwarded to Mrs. McNeely at Sault Ste Marie. The commissioner of the H. B. Co. deserves special thanks for the

interest which he has taken in procuring proof of the unfortunate death of this man. In Capt. Cole's statement he says: "I should judge that the deceased came to his death from disease resulting from his frozen feet, rather than from starvation or freezing."

It will be remembered that McNeely and Balaam of Sault Ste Marie, went north in August of '97 with W. J. Graham and W. Schreves. Graham and Schreves reached Dawson safely, but McNeely died at Devil's portage on the Liard and Balaam was drowned in Houle canon on the Pelly.

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